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DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS November 2007

Positive Animal

None

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 38

Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 66

Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 108* Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 0

Percent Positive This Month: 0.00%

Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 2924*

Cu	Total Rabies					
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	By Year
Dog:	635	0	Rodent/Rabbit:	76	0	2006: 66
Cat:	559	0	Other Domestic:	6	0	2005: 73
Bat:	1480	33	Other Wild:	22	0	2004: 59
Skunk:	21	4	Exotic:	0	0	2003: 43
Fox:	1	0	Unknown:	0	0	2002: 45
Cow:	12	0	Total:	2924	38	2001: 40
Horse:	17	1	Counties On Alert: None			2000: 50
Ferret:	0	0				1999: 31
Raccoon:	95		Counties are placed on alert when there is a			1998: 42
			positive result on a domestic animal or when			1997: 31
			threshold levels for wild animals have been			1996: 26
			exceeded.			

^{*}Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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